THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRYOF HOME AFFAIRS SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) to (d) No, Sir. The Government has been pursuing a well coordinated and multi-pronged approach to tacicle the activities of ISI. As a result of coordinated action by the Centre and State security and intelligence agencies, a number of externally sponsored terrorist and espionage modules have been neutralized in different parts of the country.

Further, the policy of the Government is to counter the challenge posed by terrorism by way of a multi-pronged strategy. In pursuance of this strategy, the Government has taken various measures on political, security and development fronts. The Government is willing to talk to all those groups who agree to abjure violence. On the security front the counter terrorism measures incldue effective border management of check infiltration across the borders, deployment of Central Forces to aid the State Police Forces in areas prone to terrorist violence, heightened vigil and security arrangements and around vital installations, strengthening of intelligence gathering and sharing capabilities, particularly at the cutting edge level, augmentation and modernization of police forces and raising of India Reserve Battalions, ensuring improved technology, weaponry and equipment with Central and State Police Forces and steps taken to achieve bilateral and multilateral cooperation to deal with the global imperatives of terrorism. On the development front, a variety of measures have been taken to accelerate developmental activities in the areas affected by terrorism/extremism.

Further, the details of terrorist incidents, terrorists killed, security forces killed and civilians killed in J&K, North-Eastern Region, Naxal affected States and hinterland are given in Statement. [Refer to the statement appended to the answer to USQ 1715 Part (b) and (c)]

Documentary on development of Narmada River

† 1719. SHRI SHARAD YADAV: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

the date on which Directorate of Doordarshan received proposals for making documentary on development of river Narmada and the nature of these proposals alongwith the action taken thereon; and

the number of complaints pertaining to ignorance of proposals on development of Narmada and laxity in work received by the directorate of Doordarshan and the action taken by the Ministry thereon?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI PRIYARANJAN DASMUNSI): (a) Prasar Bharati has informed that Doordarshan Kendra, Bhopal had received one proposal on 9.12.2002. The proposal was approved under the category of Commissioned Programmes, entitled "Narmada Ki Parikrama', regarding the river Narmada, covering the origin of the river, its journey through different areas, mythological stories connected with it till it reaches its destination in Gujarat. The programme in 6 episodes was telecast in the year 2004 from Doordarshan Kendra, Bhopal.

Prasar Bharati has informed that no complaint was received in this regard.

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.